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IN THE CLAIMS

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13. (Currently amended) An array of capacitors, comprising:
- a first bottom capacitor plate;
  - a second bottom capacitor plate;
  - a third bottom capacitor plate;
  - a contact between said first bottom capacitor plate and said second bottom capacitor plate, the contact downwardly extends from a vertical height above a top of the first bottom capacitor plate;

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